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MISMATED COUPLES.

JUDGE ALDEN UNDOES SOME OF CUPID'S WORK.

SIXTEEN DIVORCES GRANTED.

LARGEST DOCKET FOR SOME TIME IN THIS COURT.

A Large Crowd of Men and Women Present During the Day's Proceedings-Only One Applicant Went Away Disappointed.

There are just sixteen less married uples in Wyandotte county, and there are thirty-two more persons eligible to marry. In the district court yesterday Judge Aider listened to the woes of many mismated couples and as a result of the many pleadings for freedom from the chains of matri-mony the prayers of sixteen petitioners

were granted.

It was the largest divorce docket com piled in this court for some time. The court room was crowded all day long with young men, young women, old men and old women. Some of the older petitioners re sad faces while the younger ones seemed to be pleased with the thought that they had discovered their mistake as soon as they did. Only one decree was refused, and that was in the case of Peter Peterson against Sophia Peterson. In this case it was proven that the contracting parties had agreed upon a legal separation, and on account of this collusion the court refused had agreed upon a legal separation, and on account of this collusion the court refused to grant a decree. It appears that the plaintiff had sent the defendant back to Sweden so that he might get a divorce. Here is a list of the newly made widows and widowers: Lena Sims from Patrick Sims. Katie Burns from Richard Burns, Caddie A. Haller from C. C. Haller, Susan E. Wilkes from Louis C. Wilkes, Emma E. Wilkes from Louis C. Wilkes, Emma E. Hawkins from Robert A. Hawkins, James R. Blanton from Margie M. Blanton, Rasmus E. Nelson from Mary Nelson, Mary E. Pierce from Daniel F. Herce, Isabella Bennett from Joseph Bennett, Zada Huckle from William Huckle, Elia Baker from Frank M. Baker, Adolph Fuchs, from Anna Fuchs. Katie Lemon from James M. Lemon, Ella S. Smith from William Smith, Mollie K. Hudgens from Isaac Hudgens, Charles Gerard from Margie Gerard.

These cases were dismissed for want of prosecution: Ida Mathews against Edward Mathews, Maggie Armitage against Alfred Armitage, William Bassett against Alfred Armitage, William Bassett against Charles Smith, Ethel G. Garrett against Charles Smith, Ethel G. Garrett against Charles Smith, Ethel G. Garrett against P. D. Gallager, Laura B. Neely against P. D. Gallager, Laura B. Neely against Frank M. Hosick, Minnie Higgins against Frank Higgins.

The most interesting case of the batch

The most interesting case of the batch was that of Charles Gerard against Maggie Gerard. Gerard attempted to get a divorce from his wife some time ago, but the court refused his prayer. Gerard claimed that she had become so greatly claimed that she had become so greatly wrapped up in Christian Science that she neglected her household duties and the care of their children. He alleged that she was completely under the control of her mother and that the two made life miserable for him. In the original petition he claimed that the defendant took one of their little children out in a severe storm one night while the infant was in a critical condition for the purpose of curing its ailment. The child grew worse from the exposure and died.

ARRESTED FOR FORGERY.

James Rock, an Iowa Youth, Captured in This City-Swindled

His Brother. Rock was arrested yesterday by Officers Flaherty and Quarles on the charge

Officers Flaherty and Quaries on the charge of forgery. Rock is a young man and is wanted at Parnell, Ia., for forging a check for \$180 on his brother. He confessed his guilt and has consented to accompany an officer back to that city.

Some time ago the local authorities received a letter from the authorities at Parnell stating that Rock was in this city and that he was wanted there for forgery committed last July. A description of the young man was furnished and a few days ago he was located. He has been in this city for two or three months employed ago he was located. He has been in this city for two or three months employed as a driver. Yesterday Officers Flaherty and Quaries met him and placed him under arrest He was delivering a load of coal at the time. Rock offered no resistance, at the time. Rock offered no resistance, but asked the officers to accompany him back to the yard so that he could turn over, his teem. He says that he will return to Farnell and get out of his trouble. Then he says he will play even with his brother by giving him a sound flogging. It is said that he is from a well-to-do family of that

WOULD BE TRIED AGAIN.

Motions for New Trials in the Diets and Taylor Cases to Be Argued To-day.

The motions for new trials in the cases

of William Dietz and George Taylor will be argued in the district court before Judge be argued in the district court before Judge Alden to-day. The arguments in these caes have been postpened several times, but it is understood that they will be heard to-day without fail.

Attorney Ben S. Henderson, who will make the appeal for a new trial in behalf of Dietz, the young German who is awaiting sentence for the murder of Russell Lindsay, feels confident that the court will grant him a new trial. He has filed a number of strong affloavits that will have a strong bearing. Dietz was convicted on the charge of murder in the second degree. It was rumored about a few days ago that the motion for a new trial in the Taylor case would not be argued, as the attorneys for the defendant had decided to allow him to ask for clemency and take his sentence. However, this is now discredited, and it is said that a strong plea will be made for a rehearing of the case. In the event that Judge Alden should refuse new trials, sentence will likely be immediately passed on both prisoners. fuse new trials, sentence will likely mediately passed on both prisoners

"Big" Maccabees.

The members of Kansas City tent, No. II, Knights of the Maccabees, were paid a visit by several distinguished members of the order at the last regular meeting. Among the noted visitors were Supreme Chaplain G. H. Terpany, of New Carlisle, Ind.; State Commander J. C. Anderson, of St. Louis; State Commander George Jansen, of Atchison, and several leading Maccabees from the Missouri side. The meeting was a very interesting one.

Art Sale and Reception

The art reception given under the au-spices of the ladies of the First Congrega-tional church orened yesterday afternoon with a very good attendance. The walls of the large edifice are covered with beautiful which are copies of photograveurs of the very best works of modern

art.

The pictures are on sale, the proceeds of which are to be given to the church. The purchase prices being asked for the pictures are very reasonable, even lower than the regular prices asked for the same work by local dealers. The pictures were pur-

chased by the trustees of the church, and were secured at reduced prices. The recep-tion will continue this afternoon and even-

IT WAS A COSTLY HORSE. A Thousand Dollars Wasted in a Lawsuit Over a Dead

Horse.

The court of appeals has handed down a decision in the Shore-Schee litigation, which has been in the courts for six years. The decisions of the lower courts were sustained. This is one of the most interesting cases ever tried in this county.

Edward Shore purchased a standard bred herse from O. M. Schee, for which he paid \$200. After Shore secured possession of the animal he discovered that it was afflicted with the glanders, from which disease it died. Shore then brought suit against Schee to recover \$300, the purchase price of the borse. The case was bitterly fought in the courts of this county, and in each instance Shore was given judgment. Schee carried the case to the court of supeals, where the final decision was handed down yesterday. Three times the amount of the judgment has been squandered in litigation, but it is understood that both partly are better satisfied now.

Fine Art.

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An art reception will be given in the par-lers of the First Congregational church Friday and Saturday afternoons, from 3:50 till 8 o'clock. There will be on exhibition and for sale a collection of pictures which are copies of choice productions from our best modern artists. Admission 10 cents.

METROPOLIS MISCELLANY,

Money to loan.

W. A. SIMPSON.

The remains of Miss Sadie Croff, who died Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Smith, No. 2360 North Fifth street, were sent to Moberly, Mo., yesterday for burial.

Rev. L. C. Presserved.

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Rev. L. C. Burr. of Kansas City, Mo., has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Wyandotte Christian church. This is a new church organized by the bolting members of the Central Christian church.

The Union Club gave an open reception to its friends last night at the club rooms at 606 Minnesota avenue. A pleasant time was had by all present.

ARMOURDALE.

The fair being given at McLean & Mc-Anany's hall, will continue next week. The entertainment given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church, at Mrs. Way's, last evening, was well attended.

The remains of J. W. Orr. who was killed Sunday, were forwarded to Ogden, U., the home of his parents, yesterday morning. Mr, and Mrs. B. Widener pleasantly en-tertained a number of friends at their home, 208 Delaware street, Thursday even-

Mrs. Thomas Downey pleasantly enter-tained a large number of friends Thurs-day evening in honor of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth's Sullivan's, Sind birthday. Elizabeth's Bullivan's, 82nd birthday.

The Retail Clorks' Union will make an effort to compel all merchants to stand by their Sunday closing agreement. Members of the union say they will endeavor to have boycotts placed against merchants who refuse to stand by their agreement. A committee has been appointed which has waited upon merchants who did not close last Sunday and warned them that the grievance would be carried before the Trades' Assembly Sunday if the merchants do not agree to close.

ROSEDALE.

Mrs. Charles Meffert, who went to the hospital two weeks ago to undergo an op-eration, is reported to be improving very fast. fast.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Strouse, of Happy
Hollow, report the arrival of a pair of
twins, a boy and a girl, at their home yes-

Charles Lunn and a young colored boy named Price got into a fight yesterday morning. Price hit Lunn on the head with a rock, cutting a long gash. Dr. B. F. Sharp sewed up the wound.

Another team ran away in this city yesterday. While a man named Adams was getting a load of feed at the elevator the team became frightened and ran up Minnie avenue to the boulevard, where it collided with a telegraph pole, upsetting the load. From there it ran down to Shawnee street, leaving parts of the wagon along the street, The team was caught on Shawnee street. No one was hurt.

ARGENTINE.

Bern, to Mr. and Mrs. John Conley, of Strong avenue, a daughter, H. G. Herrick went to Topeka last night, but not to call on Pension Agent Leland. "Is Christianity Worth While?" Rev. Mr. J. R. Adams will preach on this subject Sunday evening at 7:30 at the Congregational church. Morning services at 11 (Clock, Sermon on "The Ominons of a church of the Congregation on the Ominons of the Congregation on the Ominons of the Congregation of the Ominons of the Congregation of the Ominons of the Ominons of the Ominons of the Ominon of the Ominons of the Ominon of the Omi o'clock. Sermon on "The Popilions of a Roman Soldier." The people are welcome. There was a lively time on Spear averue yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock. A former railroad man by the name of Deane, while intoxicated, ran amuck along the street. He had a number of encounters with various parties, attracting a large crowd, and was finally arrested by Constable Kimball and locked up to await a trial.

WORRY WILL KILL. Science Has Proved That It Is as

Dangerous as Many Diseases. Modern science has brought to light Modern science has brought to light nothing more curiously interesting than the fact that worry will kill, says "Phar-maceutical Products." More remarkable still, it has been able to determine from recent discoveries just how worry does kill. It is believed by many scientists who It is believed by many scientists who have followed most carefully the growth of the science of brain diseases that scores of the deaths set down to other causes are due to worry, and that alone. The theory is a simple one-so simple that any one can readily understand it. Briefly put, it amounts to this: Worry injures beyond repair certain cells of the brain, and the brain being the nutritive center of the body, the other organs become gradually injured, or a combination of them, arises, death finally ensues.

Thus does worry kill. Insidiously, like many another disease, it creeps upon the brain in the form of a single, constant, never-lost idea, and as the dropping of water over a period of years will wear a groove in a stone, so does worry gradually, imperceptibly, but no less surely, destroy the brain cells that lead all the rest—that are, so to speak, the commanding officers of mental spaces, backly hand. the brain cells that lead all the rest—that are, so to speak, the commanding officers of mental power, health and motion.

Worry, to make the theory still stronger, is an irritant at certain points, which produces little harm if it comes at intervals or irregularly. Occasional worrying of the system the brain can cope with, but the

duces little harm if it comes at intervals or irregularly. Occasional worrying of the system the brain can cope with, but the irritation and reiteration of one idea of a disquieting sort the cells of the brain are not proof against. It is as if the skull were laid bare and the surface of the brain struck lightly with a hammer every few seconds, with mechanical precision, with never a sign of let up or the failure of a stroke. Just in this way does the annoying idea. the maddening thought that will not be done away with, strike or fall upon cer-tain nerve cells, never ceasing, and week by week diminishing the vitality of these deli-cate organisms that are so minute that they can only be seen under the micro-

scope. Simple Epitaph in a Thicket.

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From the Louisville Post.

"I saw a rude, roughly hewn stone above a grave on an Eastern Kentucky hillside a few weeks since." said Mr. Walter Wade, a state insurance solicitor, "that was placed there before monument makers flourished in that part of Kentucky. There were but two graves in the little unfenced spot, and they were in the center of a sassafras thicket. This old stone, over which the lay had crept, well nigh blotting out the inscription, bore these words, which seemed to have been chiseled by a trembling fingered novice: 'Jane Leler, ded Agus, 1849. She wur allus kine to evrybuddle." I thought as I stood there by the weed-crested mound of what a world of meaning there was in those few words, 'She wur allus kine to evrybuddle." I thought as I stood there by the weed-crested mound of what a world of meaning there was in those few words, 'She wur allus kine to evrybuddle.' When I shall have composed my weary limbs for the last sieep I would ask no greater boon than that such a compliment might trathfully be placed on the tomb above my silent form. It was so different from any one of the chiseled platitudes one sees in large cemeteries. I wondered what loving heart could have inspired it, and stopped to ask about the woman whose gentle life could merit so tender a tribute. Nobody on either the Kentucky or Virginia side of the mountains knew much of the Lawier family, but one old mountaineer said he had been told the woman was the wife of an old woodsman who lived and hunted on Mount Elkhorn in the first half, of the present century. The paisled hand of the loving husband doubtless traced the last testimonial of reverence."

The Safer Course.

From the Detroit Free Press.
"It can't be true, Mrs. Bellarney, that your son is a prize fighter?"
"Yes, it was that or football, and I couldn't let the poor lad go where the danger is so great."

EDWARD CARTER, AN OLD MAN, SLAIN BY JACK DODDS.

FARM HAND'S DESPERATE DEED

WILLIAM CARTER, THE SON, RID-DLED WITH BUCKSHOT.

Quarrel Over the Occupancy of Shanty on the Easterwood Farm, Seven Miles West of Kansas City, Kas., Caused the Killing.

Edward Carter, an aged negro, was shot and instantly killed yesterday while standing in the door of his home on the Easterwood farm seven miles west of Kansas City, Kas., by Jack Dedds, a white man. William Carter, the 18-year-old son of the dead man, was also shot by Dodds and is thought to be mortally wounded. He was brought to Kansas City on a Santa Fe train and taken to St. Margaret's hospital. His body is fairly riddled with buckshot and

it is not believed that he can live. Dodds took refuge in the woods after the shooting, but was arrested two hours later by Deputy Sheriff Hewitt, of Turner, and five members of the Argentine Horse League. He was making through the woods for his home when espied by the officers and started to run upon discovering the anproach of the authorities. Deputy Sheriff Hewitt fired several shots at him before he was induced to stop and submit to arrest. He was immediately taken to the county jail and locked up.

Old man Carter and his son were employed by G. B. Easterwood as farm hands and kept house for themselves in a little shanty built in one corner of the Easterwood farm. Dodds formerly worked for Mr. Easterwood and occupied the same shanty at that time. He quit the emply of Easterwood about two months ago and moved his family to Oakland, an addition just west of Kansas City, Kas. It appears that he had made some little improvements to the building, which is a one-roomed box house, the total value of which is less than \$10, and he was determined to receive a compensation for this improvement before he would allow any one to occupy the place. Mr. Easterwood informed him several days ago that the building belonged to him and that he had given Carter and his son permission to occupy it.

Dodds Goes Well "Heeled."

Yesterday morning Dodds armed himself with a shotgun and a revolver preparatory to visiting the Easterwood farm. He bor-rowed a team and wagon from Robert Ford, to visiting the Easterwood farm. He borrowed a team and wagon from Robert Ford, a neighbor, and started for the farm.

Dodds drove direct to the Easterwood farm, arriving there shortly after 11 e clock. He met C. W. Germey, a young farmer, on the public highway near there, and stopped to talk with him. He asked Germey if anyone was occupying the shanty vacated by him two months ago. Young Germey informed him that old man Carter and his son were working for Mr. Easterwood and were sleeping in the shanty. Dodds is said to have replied that he would have to pay for the improvements that he had made on the place or he (Dodds) would kill the first "d-nigger" that set foot on the place. Germey left him, thinking he was only bluffing.

It was about 12 o'clock when Carter and his son returned to the house from the field. Dodds was sitting outside, apparently waiting for them. Dodds and old man Carter talked for a while in the yard, young Carter entering the house. Just what took place between them is not known. Carter soon joined his son in the house, leaving Dodds outside. According to young Carter's statement his father picked up a 22-caliber rifle and stepped to the rear door of the shanty to continue the conversation with Dodds. He says that his father had no sooner stepped to the door than Dodds opened fire. His father depart and the started way a challe dead.

ne sooner stepped to the door than Dodds opened fire. His father dropped the rifle and fell backward over a chair dead. At this he claims that he started out of the door and was fired upon by Dodds. He says he ran out of the house, and was shot again as he was fleeing from Dodds. When asked if he had a gun when Dodds shot, he said he did not. However, a shotgun and rifle were found lying on the floor of the shanty.

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The load of buckshot fired at old man Carter struck him in the throat and chest, killing him instantly. The charge fired at young Carter took effect in his shoulder and side. Two of the shot are thought to have lodged in vital spots.

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Dodds ITakes to the Woods.

Dodds left his team standing in the road and fied to the home of William Fray, a farmer living near by, and told him what he had done. He asked Fray to let him have a horse with which to make his escape. Fray refused to do this, whereupon Dodds asked him to lend him \$5 stating that he did not have a cent. Fray refused to let him have any money. He then started on foot, and entered the woods just north of the Easterwood farm.

The farmers in the vicinity of where the shooting occurred claim that Dodds was always considered a desperate man. When he worked on the Easterwood farm it is claimed that he was constantly boasting about the men he had killed. He often spoke of being a bad man from Texas and told how they used to kill people in that state. Carter and his son were quiet, lawabiding and hard working men. The news of the killing spread rapidly and by 1 o'clock a posse of about fifty farmers had been organized and the fleids and woods were searched. The Argentine Horse League promptly turned out some twenty strong, which resulted in the capture of Dodds in the woods about four miles from where he had killed Carter.

Under Sheriff Arthur Peck went to the scene of the shooting immediately upon receiving the news and joined in the search. He visited the home of Dodds at Oakland and found Mrs. Dodds sick in bed. She stated that her husband left home at about 9 o'clock. He took a shotgun and a revolver with him, and she expected he would get into trouble. He told her when he left her that if he got into any trouble he guessed he would be able to take care of himself.

Dodds was seen at the county jail and he tells altogether a different story concerning the shooting. He claims that he formerly worked for Easterwood, but that when he left his employ he leased two acres of land from him and paid in advance for it. The shanty in which Carter was killed is located on this ground, and he claims that he had not yet moved al Dodds Takes to the Woods.

Dodds' Story of the Murder.

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"I was feeding my team in the road," said Dodds, "when Carter and his on came up from the field and entered the house. I had my shotgun in my hands and I started up to the house to talk with them. The first thing I knew young Carter stepped to the door and fired a shot at me with a rifle. He then stepped back out of sight. The old man then showed up with a shotgun in his hands and I then fired. The young man rushed to the door with a gun in his hands and I then fired. It killed those men I did it in self-defense, for they would have certainly finished me if I had not beat them."

Dodds is a young man about 33 years old. He came from Texas about two years ago and has been working on farms in Wyandotte county since. He worked nearly a year for Mr. Easterwood, who is chairman of the Populist county central committee, and when he quit his employ he leased two acres of ground from him for the purpose of raising garden truck next spring. He claims that his lease does not expire until next March. Dodds stated that he moved his family to Oakland in order to give Easterwood a chance to move the old shanty off the ground which he had leased from him. Dodds savs that Easterwood is partially to biame for the trouble.

The body of Carier was taken to Simmons' morgue in Argentine, where Coroner Todd will hold an inquest to-day.

Fires Yesterday.

2:40 a. m-2509 East Thirteenth street, two-story frame dwelling: occupied by M. M. Bishop; loss, \$115; cause, lamp explosion, 6:25 a. m-4808 Walnut street; two-story frame dwelling; occupied by John Grooms; loss, \$375; cause, defective flue. 4 p. m-Rear 1127 Oak; loss, none; grass burning.

THE NEWS AT LEAVENWORTH.

Changes in the Police Force-Carnival Committee to Refund Money -Other News Items.

The new board of police commissioners and prospective changes in the force are all absorbing topics among business men and others at present. The old board has met for the last time, and Thursday night turned the office over to its successors. The first business meeting of the new board will be held Monday afternoon, at which time it is expected several changes will be

As already told in The Journal, Arthur As already told in The Journal, Arthur Clark has the call for the judicial ermine now worn by Police Judge Taylor, who is still to have a place with the new board. It is said that he is to be given the position of captain of police, an office now held by W. II. Shouse, who will be made a patrolman, or found some other place. Levi Churchill, the present night sergeant, is to give way to T. G. McGuire, the secretary of the old board, and rumor has it that three patrolmen are to be removed. of the old board, and rumor has it that three patrolmen are to be removed.
Governor Leedy's action in making the present change is being severely criticized by all parties, the general opinion being that he made a grave mistake if he thought to better his own interests. Instead of doing so, it is asserted that where he had one enemy he now has two, with no hope of placating them. If he had abolished the board altogether, and turned the police administration over to the city he would have made many friends and greatly strengthened his cause in Leavenworth.

Will Return Surplus Money.

A meeting of the reunion committee and A meeting of the reunion committee and Apple Carnival Club was held in Judge Bond's office Thursday night for the purpose of closing up affairs connected with the late reunion. All bills which have been presented to the committee have been paid and it is estimated that there will be a balance of about \$1,000 left when the final claim is paid. The committee considered what to do with this money and, after considerable discussion, it was decided to give it back to the donors. Resolutions were adopted instructing the treasurer to draw checks for 20 per cent of the amount of each subscription, which is to be malled to each contributor. The committee has considerable property on hand, but as yet has not decided what disposal to make of it. A number of the committeemen favor the idea of selling everything on hand and going out of business, or, in other words, disband the Apple Carnival Club, Action will probably be taken on this matter at the next meeting. A committee in hehalf of the Old Ladles Rest began visiting the contributors yesterday with a view of securing the surplus money for the benefit of that institution. The committee reported last night that they had met with much'encouragement, and it now seems possible that this worthy institution will receive a substantial benefit. The reunion committee reported that the cost of entertsining the G. A. R. was about \$6,000. Apple Carnival Club was held in Judge

The Elms Will Not Be Leased.

Henry Ettenson, one of the proprietor of The Elms, at Excelsior Springs, returned to his home yesterday and was asked about the proposed deal for the hotel. He stated that Minneapolis parties had been negotiating for a ten years' lease, for which they had offered \$52,000. Their intention was to operate it as a consumption sanitarium. Nearly all the owners were in favor of accepting the offer, but Mr. Ettenson objected. His objections were upon the grounds that after being used for such a purpose, the furniture, at the end-of ten years, would have to be replaced, and, taking this outlay into consideration, with the expense of taxes and repairs, he did not consider the offer large enough. The present management has decided to put in a number of improvements and will conduct the hotel as heretofore. to his home yesterday and was asked about

Business Changes.

Business circles will be surprised to learn that the firm of Noll & Fuller, dealers in carriages and wagon hardware, is to go carriages and wagon hardware, is to go out of business. The stock has been sold to the Baum Iron Company, of Omaha and Denver, and two members of the latter firm are now here making an inventory of the stock. The firm of Noll & Fuller has been engaged in business in this city for about ten years, during which time it built up a good trade and employed a number of traveling men. Both young men have been reared in Leavenworth and their going out of business will be regretted by a large circle of friends. The stock is to be slipped to the Denver store, of which Mr. Noll is to be manager; while Mr. Fuller will travel for the firm, still making his home in this city.

Report Denied.

Officers of the Soldiers' home deny the report that General Franklin, president of the board of managers, has ordered the dis-honorable discharge of veterans visiting saloons. Nothing of his kind is to no done, and the officers characterize the story as an attempt made to draw the home into a factional fight with the saloons. An of-fort will be made to persuade the men not to frequent the Whitechapel district, but no spy system will be resorted to. Saloon-keepers in the city are working to have the saloons around the home closed, as they would prefer to see the money spent in the city. On the other hand the White-chapel proprietors propose to maintain bet-ter order and during the last payment of pensions raised a fund with which they paid special officers to preserve the peace. e board of managers, has ordered the dis-

Foreclosure Suit.

C. S. Hetherington, of Atchison, began foreclosure proceedings in the district court yesterday against J. Wiley Murphy, et al, upon a mortgage on lots \$\circ{8}\$, and \$10\$, block of, city proper. The mortgage was given in April, 1887, to Charles H. Miller, late Republican candidate for sheriff, Murphy sold the property, which passed into the possession of United States Marshal Neely, but was sold for taxes in 1894. Last month Miller sold his notes and transferred the mortgage to Hetherington, who now seeks to collect, claiming there is due \$2,128,23. The petition states that Marshal Neely is collecting the rents for the property. The firm of Waggener, Horton & Allen, of Atchison, and C. F. W. Dassler, of this city, represent the plaintiffs.

Express Cases.

The fight made by the express drivers on City Collector Doees for failing to collect a license from all teamsters doing business in the city resulted in five men being brought before the police judge yesterday. The case against one of them. Charles E. Gough, was dismissed, he having compiled with the ordinance. George Wier. Tom Norris. S. Fletcher and H. O'Leary, the other four, represented to the court that they were unable to take out a license, as their earnings had not been sufficient to provide for their families and procure feed for their horses. In view of this statement the judge continued the cases for fifteen days.

Brief Mention.

Mrs. Minnle Mettinger was adjudged in-sane in the probate court yesterday, and ordered sent to the asylum. Testimony brought out that insanity was hereditary in her family, a brother and a sister hav-In her family, a brother and a sister hav-ing been inmates of asylums. Charles Ackenhauser, Jr., is to leave for the Creek nation, where, he will engage in the cattle business. He is prompted to this move for the purpose of benefiting his health.

when one comes to discuss rifles, range and the average distance at which game is shot, one is likely to strike contradictory opinions. A prominent hunter, in speaking recently of the great effectiveness of the American rifle, said that in his experience elk, moose, bears and white-tailed deer were most generally killed within a range of 175 yards, and that this was so because they ware apt to be discovered within this distance, not because of any lack of carrying power in the rifle. When this statement is contrasted with the prospectus of the latest rifle, which has a first sight of 250 yards, a flat trajectory and a maximum range of 2,200 yards, what is the average hunter to think?

Of one thing there is no room for doubt, and that is that this year many people are preparing to go to the woods deer shooting, and will take with them the new rifle. Its wonderful range and penetration are due to the new smokeless powder employed in conjunction with a bullet sheathed in copperso as to present a harder surface to the rifling than lead. This projectile is forced through a barrel from twenty to twenty-four inches long, the filling of which has about one turn to every eight inches. The great objection raised by experienced hunters to such an arm as this is that with the long range one never knows where the bullet likely to bring up once it has left the gun. A few years ago a hunter fired at deer at a distance of 183 yards, as measured after death. The animal was standing at the foot of a slight bluff of loamy sand in which not as stone or rock was to be seen. The rifle was fired and the deer fell, the bullet having gone clear through the heart and missing the ribs on both sides. Immeliately after a hail was heard from a point about 200 yards back of the shooters, and an angry man was heard asking where in thunder they were shooting, as the builet had just skimmed over his head. A close examination showed graze and leaf holes four feet above the heads of the other party of hunters, and two will seem that the builet ha the cattle business. He is prompted to this move for the purpose of benefiting his health.

The case against Eugene Lewis, charged with having committed a criminal assault upon his stepdaughter, will be tried in Justice Fitzwilliams court to-day. B. W. Townsend has been retained by the state to assist in the prosecution.

Real estate transfers yesterday amounted to two lots in Stilling's subdivision, the consideration being \$200.

Justice Johnson sentenced William Jones to thirty days in the county jail yesterday, upon the charge of beating his wife.

Part of MacMahon Bros.' menagerie arrived yesterday and went into winter quarters. with the copper-sheathed bullet, low trajectory, and 2,200 yard range in a wooded district?

In still another case a well known hunting writer from the West, now residing in New York, chanced upon a moose feeding about 200 yards away, and, with the idea of taking the second shot himself, told his companion, an amateur, to try the first shot. The bullet was seen to strike the ground nearly four feet in front of, and about six feet short of the moose. When an examination was made it was found that there had been two moose feeding within 100 yards of each other, and that on the trail of the far one was blood. Following the trail the moose was eventually bagged, and it found that the bullet had entered at the lower side of the stomach and was lodged in the fat of the hump, showing clearly that the animal had been hit by the ricochetting missile. An examination of the spot where the turf flew showed a flat piece of rock an inch or so under the surface, which the bullet had hit and glanced from. Many similar stories might be related of the vegaries of glanceings bullets and the possible dangers are making a number of hunters very chary of going out with these new rifles, which, whatever advantage they may have in other places, are not believed to be suitable for deer shooting in the Eastern states. Apparently, English sportsmen are also entertaining similar fears, for a prominent big game shot recently advocated a restriction in the matter of the rifling. ters. Charles H. Miller was asphyxlated while Charles H. Miller was asphyxiated while testing a new gas burner at his home on Pottawatomie street yesterday. He succeeded in raising a window before becoming unconscious, and soon revived.

George H. Fiery has been appointed yardmaster of the Leavenworth. Topeka & Southwestern railroad, vice Tom Keenan, resigned.

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The state isbor commissioner is having fitures on real estate sales tabulated in the office of the register of deeds.

Maggie Murray, a Choctaw street damsei, was out Thuraday night masquerading in men's attire. She was gathered in by the officere, and yesterday was fined \$10 in the police court for her froite.

The Flower show opened in Chickering hall last night with a good collection. The proceeds are to be devoted to the Old Ladies Rest.

Charles Poster, a colered boy, was srrested by Doputy United States Marshal Will Neely vesistray. He is charged with having knocked down a woman named Carrie. York, on the reservation, and cutting her badly with a piece of slate. His caswill be tried before Commissioner Bond Newmer 20.

Private Goodman, who deserted from Company E, Tweifth infantry, at Fort Leavenworth, September 21, has been apprehended at Fort Porter, N. Y.

Ex-Governor Thomas A. Osborne came over from Topeka yesterday to attend the funeral of Mark Delahay.

There will be an auction of condemned cavairy horses at the fort to-day.

Mrs. Katharine Brigham died about 8 o'clock last night at the German hospital. She had been ill seven weeks, but her death was very unexpected. She left no near relatives excepting a sister at Austin. Tex. Funeral arrangements will not be made until her sister is heard from.

Mrs. Katharine Brigham Dead.

TRUE MARRIAGE. The City Is Holding Twenty Cars in

INDEPENDENCE.

the Yards of the Air Line

Railway.

The city has possession of twenty cars in the Air line yards. Some of them are

gine.

The city will take off its guards to-day and many of the citizens believe that the railread company will put down the track again.

Won't Use Tobacco.

The "A. T." Club has many members in the Columbian school. "A. T." stands for anti-tobacco and the members wear brown ribbons as an insignia of their resolve to eachew tobacco in all of its forms. The cigarette is not tolerated by the club and its membership is growing rapidly. Resolve the club had a leavure from a select

its membership is growing rapidly. Re-cently the club had a lecture from a schen-tific standpoint on the effect of tobacco-on the system. Parents encourage their children in joining the club, and it is ex-pected that many a boy will be saved from the slavish habit.

Sowing Good Seed.

Jumates of the county jail received a visit from several Kansas City ladies, and hereafter the visits will be a regular thing at the Independence jail. The visitors entertained the prisoners with songs and prayers and left books with them so that the time could be pussed profitably.

Marriage licenses wee issued yesterday to William P. Wattles and Cora Smith; Albert Dulan and Lotta Williams; R. S. Hord and Jennie McKyle.

Woodmen of the World held a meeting last night and had interesting ceremonies. Mrs. Quintrel, of New York is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Roberts, West Maple avenue.

Mrs. L. W. Baldwin, who was injured in the Fifteenth street depot accelent, October 6, was removed from All Saints hospital to her home yesterday. She is improving gradually.

John H. Parker, for many years a member of the firm of Reardin & Parker, has again purchased his interest in his former livery business.

J. C. Foss and family, who formerly resided here, but recently of Rockland, Me, have moved to this city with a view of making Independence their permanent home.

H. C. Bedford, a relative of Coroner Bed-

home.

H. C. Bedford, a relative of Coroner Bedford, has purchased the home of Ed Walker, on West Maple avenue. The place will be improved.

Members of the Knights of Pythias lodge last night at their lodge

gave a smoker last night at their lodge rooms. A number of Knights from Kan-sas City were in attendance and a pleasant

sas City were in attendance and a pleasant evening was enjoyed.

Mrs. Loutie Gates has issued invitations for an afternoon luncheon, to fake place Wednesday next, at the home of G. L. Chrisman, on North Liberty street.

Chicken thieves are abroad again in the city. The roosts roobed indicate that local talent had a hand in the poultry lifting. Several dozen fowls were taken Thursday night.

Mattie Lee a colored girl was tried in

night.

Mattle Lee, a colored girl, was tried in
the police court yesterday for assaulting
the children of Mrs. John Edmonson ten

Is Likely to Bring Up.

From the New York Sun.

WHAT IT MBANS.

loaded and some of them are not. The railroad company has made no effort to railroad company has made no effort to move them and has sent no request for the cars and until it does the cars will likely stay in the yards, as the railroad company cannot cross Delaware street to get at them.

To-day the Air line depot will be clo-cd and Agent Peck will lock up and go away, as no freight is being received here. The responsibility of holding the cars in the Air line yards is bothering the minds of some of the citizens, but members of the council are not alarmed over the situation. When the Air line demands the cars then there will be another story. Until then the city officials will not try to forecast the future. The cars could be shipped onto the company's tracks if the city had the switchlock keys. There is sufficient grade from the Air line yards to propel a car across the trestle over Delaware street and on to East Kansas City without an engine.

The city will take off its guards to does. When a man and woman stand up before the altar to be joined in wedlock, they may be perfectly mated in mind and spirit; entirely congenial in tastes, habits and ideas; but if the bride is physically weak and incapacitated, the union cannot be a land suffered untold misery for over eight

Pierce she writes: "I have used your med leines in my family for a long time, and find them to be all that is claimed. I cannot recommend them too highly. My confirement was made easy, as I experienced none of the pains such as others have at that period, and it was the first born, the one that mothers fear so much. Besides, the medicine has helped me in many other ways. I would recomend all afflicted women to try Dr. Pierce's valuable medicines



rangement of the delicate special organism which makes her a woman, and that if THE KAISER AS A PEACEMAKER. these troubles are neglected they will in Silly Story as to How He Prevented time completely exhaust her vital powers and make her absolutely incapable of hap-

the children of Mrs. John Edmonson ten days ago.

Robert Murphy was in the city yesterday with a view to locating severti Acyline gas engines. Mr. Murphy lived in this city for many years.

Beveral of the members of the Missouri Republican Club from this city attended a meeting of the club in Kansas City last night. About twenty members of the club live in this city.

W. T. Bozarth and wife arrived yesterday overland from Rocky Ford, Col., where they have been living for the last twelvemonths. They expect to make Independence their home, and will live on West Lexington street.

G. H. Hiffner, of Atherion, was in the city yesterday on a business trip. Mr. Hiffner is one of the prominent citizens of that section of the county.

The funeral of Miss Rose Herson will take place this morning at 10 o'clock from St. Mary's choir.

Members of the Independence Golf Club were entertained informally last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Worley, on were entertained informally last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Worley, on North Main street.

Mayor Millard, who has been in the East for several weeks, is expected home to-day.

Dr. William Ewin and wife, who have been staying in New York for several weeks, are making Independence relatives a visit before returning to their home at Union, Ore. py wifehood or motherhood. No woman need endure these troubles without relief: nor is it necessary to un-

dergo the mortifying ordeal of "examinations" and "local applications," or resort to any doubtful or unauthorized medicament. Any woman may write with per-LONG RANGE HUNTING RIFLES. fect confidence, stating her case to Dr. Their Dangers Where Sportsmen Are R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Many-No Telling Where the Bullet of Buffalo, N. Y., who, during his thirty years' incumbency of this position, has When one comes to discuss rifles, range earned a worldwide reputation as one and the average distance at which game is of the most successful of living specialists shot, one is likely to strike contradictory

in the treatment of diseases peculiar to women. His books on medical subjects are recognized as standard authority both in this country and abroad; and his "Favorite Prescription" for the cure of women's diseases is the only proprietary remedy in the world prepared expressly for this purpose by an educated physician, and sanctioned by the highest medical authority. Any woman writing to him will receive careful professional advice and instructions for home treatment, whereby a complete cure may in nearly every instance be promptly effected.

Over 90,000 women have testified in writing to the wonderful merits of Dr. Plerce's Favorite Prescription. It quickens the lifegiving organism of women. It makes a woman strong and healthy where she most needs vigor and vitality. It makes maternity possible and rids it of its perils. Mothers of young children are subject to a heavy draft on their physical resources, and their health ought to be especially fortified both before and after the baby is born. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a remarkable strength-sustainer for women. It is the best supportive tonic for nursing mothers. It not only imparts health and endurance to the organs, but also to the appendages and nerve centers concerned in maternity. It protects the mother from relapse and makes her capable and cheerful. It is the only scientific medicine devised by an educated, experienced specialist for the express purpose of strengthening and healing woman's special organs, but also to the appendages and nerve centers concerned in maternity. It protects the mother from relapse and makes her capable and cheerful. It is the only scientific medicine devised by an educated, experienced specialist for the express purpose of strengthening and healing woman's special organs, but the colonial worlds.'

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of ill-health. A child born of a mother of ill-health. A child born of a mother who is suffering from weakness and disease of the feminine organs is condemned upon the very threshold of life to suffering, disease and death. The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription insures a healthy mother and a healthy child.

Thousands of husbands can echo the grateful sentiments expressed by Mr. R. W. McWilliams of Cambridge, Guerrage con-McWilliams, of Cambridge, Guernsey county. Ohio, who writes under date of Jan-uary 21, 1897; "Let me thank you for the ty, Ohio, who writes under date of January 21, 1897; "Let me thank you for the great good Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has done my wife. For over a year we had to keep a housemaid to do the work, and had a doctor nearly every day. After my wife took two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription she became better; now she is well and hearty and able to do all her own work. Money is no comparison to the benefit that Dr. Pierce's medicine has done in our household. It cured, where other treatment which cost

complete and perfect one; unhappiness is in store for them both; a sword is hanging over their heads.

Husbands lose heart and courage when their wives are weak and ailing; home loses its charm; family life becomes a round of dull, tiresome drudgery; and the coming of children is a source of anxiety, instead of the joy which it ought to be to a healthy, capable mother.

Many a young wife does not half realize that her terrible headaches and backaches and nine-tenths of all her other miseries are due solely to some weakness or derangement of the delicate special organism

France. Marcel Hutin, writing in the Paris Gauols, gives, on the authority of a "high and influential" personage, whose name he is debarred fom mentioning, a sensational story, telling how Emperor William prevented England from declaring war on France

in 1893. It runs thus:
"The relations between France and England were envenomed to such a point that already the order had been secretly given for the mobilization of the English fleet, and for the mobilization of the English fleet, and the English vessels had their equipments in men and material complete. The Emperor William was in England to pay a visit to the queen at Osborne, and also to take part in the regatta at Cowes. Lord Rosebery in presence of the formal declaration of France to maintain her rights at Bangkok, tried to engage the emperor on the Slamese question, and especially to have his approval of the 'coup' which England was preparing. The order for mobilization of the fleet had already been given when Emperor William received a telegram from his ambassador at London teiling him of the intention of England to declare war unexpectedly.

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"The emperor, who was dining at the Royal Yacht Club at Cowes, rose from the table brusquely and immediately wrote a telegram in reply to Count Hatsfeldt, protesting against the measures adopted by Lord Rosebery. He also precipitated his departure for Osborne and made a declaration to the queen that he could not agree to England making war on France apropos of Siam.

"William IL gave proof under the circumstances for great political acumen, for the issue of a naval war between France and England at the time would never have been in doubt, and England would have been assured the supremacy of the sea and of all the colonial worlds."

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France.
"There was not, therfore, much room for There was not, therfore, much reom for the German emperor to interfere, unless to advise the French ambassador in favor of an apology. The improbability of the Gaulois story is increased by the fact that the their little bodies. Health cannot be born gust 3."

"Yes" said the returned Klondiker; "I did have a hard time; but I never fully appreciated the difficulties of the trip until I read the descriptions in the New York papers."—Puck.

The proofreader said with a sigh,
"It would make me most happy if I
Could make up my min!
If some things that I find
Are dialect pleces or ni."
—Washington Star.

cured, where other treatment which cost us a doctor's bill of two hundred and fifty dollars, falled."

Every expectant mother will appreciate what is said by Mrs. Fannie M. Harry, of Galesburg, Ill. Mrs. Harry lives at 545 Churchill ave. In a recent letter to Dr.